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The Tri-Weekly Kentucky New Era.

VOLUME 1.

HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1885.

NUMBER 4

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By its magical attractive powers, B. B. B. unloads the blood of all impurities, unloads the liver, arouses all secretions, restores nature to its normal condition, unloads the troubled brain, clears and beautifies the complexion, cheers the despondent, strengthens the feeble, calms the disturbed nerves, and induces quiet and peaceful slumbers. It has been in use over twenty-five years as a private prescription in the South. It is a scientific, far-reaching, and dream-discovered subterranean wonder, but is a scientific and happy combination of recognized vegetable blood-purifying agents, and is a cause of constant interest and experiment in the treatment of thousands of some of the most appalling cases of scrofulous, syphilitic and cutaneous blood-poisons ever known in the state, resulting in complete and unparalleled cures of pronounced incurable cases.

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The signal service report says the weather will moderate to-day.

Mary Anderson arrived in New York yesterday. She opens the season in the Star Theatre, as Rosalind in "As You Like It," on Oct. 12th.

A Connecticut spiritualist states that his twelve-year-old daughter, though ignorant of German, spoke German fluently, while possessed of the spirit of a German.

A wholesale drug house in Philadelphia recently sold a quantity of tartar emetic for Rabelia salts. There was a tremendous exclamation when several customers threw the jar up at them.

Sixteen colts and thirteen fillies have just been shipped from Lexington to Jerome B. Higgins of California. This is the most valuable consignment of yearlings ever sent from the Bluegrass country, the price paid being \$41,000.

Mr. Henry George is contributing a series of valuable articles to the Courier-Journal on the tariff question. His argument is severe and incontrovertible, and will manufacture a sentiment in the South that will work out grand results for the people.

Simpson county farmers were made anxious about their tobacco by the cold wave Sunday. They even were led to violate the sacred Sabbath by a crisp breeze from the Northwest, and were seen toiling in their fields when the church bells called them to a pious service.

Miss Selma Fetter, a Louisville young lady, who made her debut, and was enthusiastically received in that city about four years ago, is now playing a leading part in Shakespeare's "Comedy of Errors," at one of the large theatres in New York City. She made a tour of Kentucky, playing in Hopkinsville soon after her first appearance in Louisville.

A steam bicycle whose engine and fuel adds only twenty pounds to the ordinary weight of the machine, has been worked successfully in New York. It would be a perilous thing for a bicyclist to take on two such steam.

In addition to the many other uncertainties of life, the public are to run the risk of having bicyclists burst their boilers on the streets, the prudent majority will prefer to travel around by the back ways.

Congressman Campbell, of Ohio, gives locally a majority of 9,000 over Foraker for Governor of that State. A general Democratic wave is sweeping over the country. Virginia is certainly secured. Let the good work keep up, and the laboring classes of the country will find relief, trade will revive, and every department of industry will assume an air of prosperity—all the result of an economic administration of government from the hands of competent Democratic officials.

The papers of Kentucky have been speaking at length about the prevalence of crime in this State. Severe sentences have been uttered about the custom of carrying concealed deadly weapons. It seems to us that a citizen of this State needs protection about as much as any other ill-fated man under the sun. The amount of crime in our vicinity and in neighboring counties demonstrates that energetic measures of reform must be inaugurated. It is not merely a sentiment, impractical and foreign to every day life that suggests this opinion, but a pressing demand built upon the opinion of every peace-loving, law-abiding man in Hopkinsville. There needs to be more successful prosecution of criminals, more penalties attached to crime and less slack, and sentiment over the pathetic, deplorable unfortunates who beg pardon to gain their further misadventures.

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Mrs. Hattie Green, the New York speculator, is worth \$40,000,000.

Edward Everett Hale eats five meals a day, and thinks everybody should.

China has 6,500 miles of telegraph line and only seven miles of railroad.

P. T. Barnum has given up his European trip, owing to the death of Junbo.

Mr. George W. Cabell has become a full fledged citizen of Northampton, Mass.

Mr. H. D. Howells expects to do most of his literary work abroad, residing in Italy and Switzerland.

Dr. Geo. R. Elliott, whose microscopic investigations reveal the true nature of Gen. Grant's disease, is only 27 years old.

The harp used by Tom Moore is owned by Geo. W. Childs, proprietor of the Philadelphia Ledger, into whose possession it came by request.

The academic year of John Hopkins University began Oct. 1. Casmon Farrar, the Archdeacon of Westminster, delivered the opening address.

Ex-Governor Moses, of South Carolina, has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment at Concord, Mass., for obtaining money under false pretences.

Goldsmith Maid, the ex-Queen of the Turf, died last week aged 28 years. She won 92 out of 132 races in which she trotted, and won for her owner \$240,000.

The Grant fund amounts to a little over \$82,000. At the rate of a daily contribution of \$3 it will take a trifle more than a thousand years to get the desired million.

Professor Bell, of telephone fame, is at work upon a photophone, a contrivance to produce over the wires the image of the person speaking before the instrument.

Dr. Duggar, an economical member of the Georgia Legislature, from Fannin county, walks from his home to Atlanta, a distance of eighty miles, and he is over 70 years old.

The first lecture of the well known English Author, Thomas Hughes, was given in Association Hall, New York. The subject was James Russell Lowell as National Poet and Critic.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 4.—A memorial service in honor of the late Sir Moses Montefiore was held today in the Mount St. Temple. The Rev. Dr. Heckman, of Avondale, made the principal address.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., Oct. 3.—Rosa Snyder, a love sick maiden who threatened to take a dose of rat poison today and narrowly escaped death. Her recovery is hoped for but not certain.

The Chinese pheasants turned loose in Oregon some time since have interbred with the native grouse, and a new game bird, with the head of a pheasant and wing and tail feathers of a grouse is a result.

Mrs. Palmer-Nevala, now in Paris, has received telegrams of congratulation from the Prince of Wales, Prince Alexander of Bulgaria, Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia, the Khedive of Egypt and others.

Boston, Oct. 3.—According to the returns of the population, made public today, as a result of 1883, Massachusetts has 1,941,465 inhabitants. This is a gain of 158,380 as compared with 1880, and of 289,546 as compared with 1875.

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 4.—Montefiore memorial services were held at the Synagogue today. Rev. M. Hecht delivered a most appropriate eulogy on the deceased philanthropist. The choir added much to the solemn ceremonies.

Queen Victoria is said to have made a new will, leaving the Isle of Wight property to Connaught, the Scotch property to Beatrice, and the handsome provision for the children of Leopold. Her entire fortune is estimated at about \$35,000,000.

ATLANTA, GA., Oct. 4.—Early this morning the large barn of C. L. Johnson who runs an extensive dairy establishment just without the city, was destroyed by fire and 125 cows perished in the flames, as did also several mules. Several hundred tons of hay were destroyed. Most of the cows were of fine breeds, and a \$5,000 Jersey bull was among the number burned. The loss is estimated at \$50,000, there being only \$5,000 insurance.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Erasmus Paacello was fatally stabbed by Antonio Gallo, an Italian boarding-house here, late yesterday afternoon. Paacello, who is an overseer, had discharged Gallo, and hired another man in his place. Gallo accused him of receiving a bribe for making the change, and a quarrel ensued, which Gallo ended by plunging a knife into Paacello's breast below the heart. Gallo has been arrested.

Col. Joseph E. Johnston, the oldest of the mourners who followed Grant to the grave, is 78 years of age. Sheridan is but 54, though he looks older—being much the youngest of the great military generals on the Union side. Sherman is 63, Buckner 61, Sickles 63, Hancock 61, Sheridan 64, and Wade 67. Admiral Porter 72 and Admiral Rowan 79. If Gen. Robert E. Lee were alive he would be nearly 80, and "Stonewall" Jackson 61. Abraham Lincoln would be 76, and Jefferson Davis is 77.

PORTLAND, OREGON, Oct. 4.—The Oregonian's Seattle special says: Two large meetings were held here last night to discuss the Chinese question. One was under the auspices of the Knights of Labor, who are desirous of quickly getting rid of the Chinese without violence. While this meeting was being held in one hall, about 700 citizens gathered in the Opera House. The men signed a pledge to aid in enforcing the law and to assist officers in quelling whatever riots may arise. The Sheriff appointed them Deputy Sheriffs and Justices of the Peace, and administered the oaths of office. The town was then distributed in twenty parts, and a captain for each district was appointed. Deputies will form twenty companies, and when properly armed, will be able to resist any attempt against riots.

WORLD.

The Earl of Shaftsbury is dead.

Prince Jerome Napoleon has started on a tour around the world.

Sadie Moore, the Cincinnati Grave Robber.

Personal

Mr. L. Minor was in the city yesterday.
Mr. Will Peard, of Louisville, is in the city.
Mr. G. W. Casey was in the city yesterday.
Mr. W. B. Weeks, of Evansville, is in the city.
Mr. C. F. Kent is visiting friends in the city.
Col. B. T. Deane, of Todd county, is in the city.
Mr. John P. Gray, of Louisville, is in the city.
Mr. Buck Leavelle, is in the city visiting friends.
Mr. Geo. E. Boyd, of Crofton, was in the city yesterday.
Mr. T. C. Hiser, of Nashville, spent Sunday in the city.
Mr. James Garlin and lady spent Sunday in Clarksville.
Mr. A. J. Kerner, of Fairview, was in the city Monday.
Mr. W. W. Garret, of Longview, was in the city Monday.
Miss Francis Charly spent last week with Mr. J. D. Ware.
Mr. A. H. Stafford, of Pritchard, was in the city yesterday.
Mr. B. W. Garret, of Longview, was in the city yesterday.
Mr. W. P. Lomis, of Montgomery, was in the city yesterday.
Mr. James Rives, of Barrenburg, was in the city yesterday.
Miss Mary Wardell spent last week with Miss Maude Farleigh.
Mr. N. S. Holman, of Madisonville, was in the city Saturday.
Maj. F. H. Bristol, of Elkhart, is in the city visiting relatives.
Mr. George Clarke, of Russellville, attended the Fair Saturday.
Mr. E. W. Banne, of Clarksville, is visiting Mr. E. L. Waller.
Mr. L. W. Metcalfe, of Nashville, is visiting friends in the city.
Miss Louise Pendleton left Sunday for her home in Paducah.
Miss Maude Nickels will leave today for her home in Evansville.
Mr. J. M. Barnes, of Oakwood, Tenn., was in the city yesterday.
Mr. A. W. Henderson left this morning for a visit to Louisville.
Mrs. Dr. James D. Robinson visited the Louisville Exposition last week.
Mr. Jerome Allen, of Peacher's Mill, Tenn., was in the city yesterday.
Mr. G. W. Bell, of the Clarksville Democrat, attended the Fair Saturday.
Messrs. F. and E. H. Pennington, of Clarksville, were in the city Monday.
Mr. W. A. Bronaugh will arrive in the city today on a visit to relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Phil Wallace, of Paducah, will visit Mr. W. E. Warfield this week.
Mr. W. T. Wright and family, of Smith's Grove, are visiting friends in the city.
Mr. G. E. Gathier left for Louisville last evening to purchase a full stock of drugs.
Rev. Wm. Stanley leaves for Northern Kentucky today to engage in a series of lectures.
Dr. Henry Skellett spent several days in the city last week, the guest of Mr. J. E. Campbell.
Messrs. Ed. Munford, John Hall and Cook Roach, of Clarksville, attended the hop Friday night.
Mr. A. C. Barker, general superintendent of the Gulf City Cotton Press, of Galveston, Tex., was in the city Saturday.

A Day's Crime

Sunday morning about 6 o'clock Jno. Barker, colored, walked into the Fair grounds. He took possession of a pair of slippers that he found in the Floral Hall. Mr. Wm. Lander saw him and told him that he knew the owner and would take the slippers to him. The negro then said he would go out if Mr. Lander would open the gate at the ticket office for him. This Mr. Lander consented to and started with him towards the gate. When they reached the race-track the negro drew a knife, telling Mr. Lander "he would cut him out of him if he failed with him." Special Policeman A. D. Meigs, hearing the threat, came up and together they took hold of Barker to eject him from the grounds. In the effort to take him out Mr. Meigs fell and the negro jerked loose from Mr. Lander and jumped upon Mr. Meigs and cut him on the neck and head, inflicting several painful, but not fatal wounds. Mr. Lander pulled him off as quickly as he could, but not until he had used his knife with terrible effect. Yesterday Mr. Meigs was improving, and while his wounds are painful, there is no question as to his recovery.

THE MURDER

Saturday afternoon four colored men, George Moore, Charles Stewart, Henry Oldham and another man whose name is unknown, were playing cards on the west bank of Little river, just below the falls. They were all sitting on the ground engaged in a game of "seven up." A dispute arose as to the number of points that had been won; Moore claiming that he and his partner were three. Stewart said he was mistaken, when Moore called him a damned lying son of a b— Stewart told him if he repeated it he would kill him. Moore repeated it, and thereupon Stewart jumped to his feet, pulled his revolver and sent a bullet crashing through the brain of his victim. The poor man uttered not a word but fell over a corpse. Stewart ran down the river and escaped and has not since been heard of. Beverly Kelley, the coroner, held an inquest over the dead body. The jury returned a verdict of death caused by a pistol shot fired by Charles Stewart. A great deal of excitement was caused by the murder. Large crowds collected around the dead man and there was a strong disposition to pursue the murderer and punish him as he deserved.

ANOTHER KILLING

Saturday night Henry Bullard was dangerously cut in the throat by James Darling. They, in company with several others, had gone to a house of ill-fame out near the Fair grounds. While there a dispute arose and a general fight ensued. The lights were blown out and each man pitched into anybody he could find. Their struggles finally led them out of the house into the yard. Bullard rushed on to Darling and he pulled out his knife and cut the unfortunate man on the throat. Dr. Bell was called to wait on the wounded man. He says Bullard will recover. This unfortunate affair was caused by drunkenness, as the parties were good friends and would never have become involved in so serious a quarrel had they been at themselves.

If your eye sight is falling go to Howe's "Jewelry Palace" and have Mr. Howe fit your eyes with a pair of Brazilian Pebble Spectacles. They will not tire your eye. They will never become scratched. They will not gather moisture. They are as clear as water. They will preserve your eye-sight better and longer than any other spectacle ever made.

Around Town

Howe's sun time is the city standard. The finest watch repairing in the city is done at Howe's. The new silverware at Howe's jewelry palace is simply elegant. Those new style Lace Pins at Howe's "Jewelry Palace" are the handsomest goods in the market. See the elegant stock of ladies' and gent's gold watches in new designs just received at Howe's jewelry palace. Mrs. Isaac Hart has gone to St. Louis to attend a grand opening of millinery goods. So, ladies, watch out for the latest novelties when she returns. Go to Howe's jewelry palace and see the handsomest line of silverware ever seen in this market. All new goods and new designs. Just the thing for wedding presents. Mr. Jas. M. Howe our leading Jeweler has just returned from the East with the largest and handsomest stock of Gold and Silver Watches, Jewelry, Diamonds, Clocks, Silverware and Fancy goods ever seen in this market. It would pay you to call at his "Jewelry Palace" and see his goods. Mrs. Helen Coleman, the Great Southern Wonder, will appear at Holland's Opera House Thursday and Friday evenings. Mrs. Coleman's display of remarkable powers and has drawn large houses in all the cities. The Greenville Press says of her: "Mrs. Helen Coleman, the Great Southern Wonder, appeared here last night at the Opera House. It was densely packed, standing room at a premium. As she stepped in front of the stage she was received with rounds of applause. After the audience had become calm, the manager requested that a dozen leading men take seats upon the stage to see that everything presented would be genuine. The number was soon acquired, upon which the performance commenced, by first showing how easy it was with two fingers to rest the strength of two strong men in their endeavor to hold a chair to the floor; then came the umbrella feat, after it was opened and raised, a gentleman holding on with both hands. Mrs. Coleman placed the palm of her hand against the handle, and in a moment the umbrella turned inside out and broke from the handle, and went sailing out into the audience. This brought down the house, and people left the hall mystified as to what it was. It should be witnessed by every eye who wants to enjoy a good laugh. The Southern Express co. had its customary Autumnal sale yesterday morning in the shape of a sale of unclaimed packages in front of the Court House. A large crowd of interested spectators gathered around auctioneer Day to witness the sale of the various packages and calculate the chances of buying a fortune for a few cents. The packages were numerous, the bystanders intent, and the orator of the day earnest and impressive as befit the occasion. A box? Humpf! It was not heavy, but still there might be within a set of jewels or a lot of rich tape. "How much, gentlemen? Going—going—gone!" The buyers' eyes glistened as he opened it and got a bottle of vermilion or some other valuable drug. The bidding hovered in interest. Some found in their packages a pair of old shoes, a bunch of cucumbers, a canner's pumpkins, a lot of business cards; the bills of a strolling showman who didn't come to time; and a house doctor's liniment. The individual buyers having all come to grief, it was determined by a number of the more shrewd and cautious spectators to form a pool and make a grand pass at the wheel of fortune, as a superb package made its appearance with goodly bulk suggestive of real business. The syndicate easily outbid all competitors, grouped its purchases and made a good dividend among its members of a gross of liver cure ailments. The sale was on the whole a grand sell.

COUNTY FAIRS

Two grandstands were earnestly discussing the right method of holding county fairs, last Saturday. "People, said one, have lost interest in agricultural shows. They don't come out to see displays of farm products. Farm life is too tame and dull. The people want amusement and excitement, and the best way of giving them these, is to have a splendid race-track and gather a lot of fine horses for racing of all kinds. Such an exhibition would draw visitors from far and near. "But," said granger Number Two, "such an exhibition wouldn't be an agreeable fair at all. We don't raise those cogwheeling enough in Christian to make the county fair out of the business. The few who have 'trick' don't see any money in it. People who want to see fine racing and to bet on races, will attend the races at Nashville and Louisville. It would take an enormous outlay of money to make a decent start in racing in Hopkinsville. No sir, what the people here want, I mean the farmers and the town people, is a well-ordered old time agricultural fair, in which the housewives shall be induced by liberal premiums to fill Floral Hall with all kinds of handiwork, and where large prizes shall be given to the best farm products. The warehousemen could induce their customers to make a grand display of fine tobacco, and it would be the tobacco trade, to do it. The proper arrangement has too much of the turn about it to please ordinary farmers who see no reason for carrying off all the valuable products. And there is too much new-dick and preserves about it to please those who care for nothing but racing. So it satisfies neither side. This is a farming county strictly, and we can no more draw our farmers to fairs where the big prizes are all given for fast horses, than we can make water run up stream. The farmers will turn out by the thousands when they get their share of the big prizes.

Mr. C. S. Tompkins, representing the Empire Drill Company, was in the city Saturday. The Empire Drill agents, L. G. Williams & Co., of this city, took the premium by a unanimous vote of the judges last Saturday. The Drill was exhibited by Mr. Tompkins. The Perkins Wind-Mill was the first ever exhibited at our Fair and was so much appreciated by our citizens that several sales were made on the grounds. The rapidity with which the premium also, and all their displays attracted attention.

KENTUCKY STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Union convention. The spacious audience room of the Christian Church was filled on Sunday afternoon by the friends of Sunday Schools. The afternoon was bright and exciting and teachers and children from all the churches in the city were out in large numbers. It appears always easy to draw a crowd on children's day when lively songs and short speeches are expected. The meeting assembled to hear an address from Mr. S. F. Wishard, traveling Missionary of the Kentucky State Sunday School Union, whose aim is the alliance of all denominations by Sunday School instruction.

The meeting was presided over by Rev. A. C. Biddle, of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Vice-President of the State Union of this county. Rev. Montgomery May of the First Presbyterian church opened the meeting by a Scripture reading; Rev. E. W. Bottomly of the Methodist church led in prayer. The speakers were limited to ten minutes in the addresses which followed.

Rev. J. N. Partridge spoke of the influence of Sunday School training as Christ's work. He found, as a rule, that the most valuable and steady church work was done by those whose minds had been well disciplined in Sunday School.

Rev. W. L. Nourse, of the Nashville Street Presbyterian Church, made an address on the connection of the service of Forces in Sunday School Work. Here all denominations can labor together in concord to teach the cardinal truths of Christianity. Mr. Wishard followed in a brief address on the object of the Union. In his work all Protestant churches were heartily united and were doing much to educate and enlighten the masses, especially the young, in localities where there were neither schools nor churches, nor any other agency of education. In Dixon, the county seat of Webster, a town of 700 inhabitants, and a day-school of 130 scholars, there was no Sunday School. The Great International Sunday School Convention held in Louisville a few years ago had exerted a powerful influence for good throughout the State, and all denominations had been benefited by it.

It was important to train teachers for Sunday School work as to train them in country institute for secular schools. As one means to impart this training it was deemed best to divide the State into districts to facilitate attendance. Twenty-two counties in the Western portion of the State, including Christian, had been organized into a district, and the first convention held under the auspices of the State Union would meet at Princeton on the 10th, 11th and 12th of November. Some of the best Sunday School talent in the country would be there, including such workers as Dr. John A. Burrows, of the Baptist, Theological Seminary at Louisville, Dr. J. L. McKee, of Centre College, and J. F. Huber, secretary of the State Union.

Every Sunday School in the district are expected to send at least three delegates, who would be cordially welcomed to the homes of Princeton.

The singing was conducted by J. L. Landers and C. N. Anderson. A collection for Union Sunday School purposes amounting to \$16 was taken up and the meeting adjourned.

Another Tragedy

CENTRAL CITY, Oct. 4.—Last night at Dunmore, 18 miles south of this place, on the Owensboro and Nashville railroad, O. B. Latham, a saloon-keeper, was shot and killed by an unknown man. About half-past 8 o'clock, Latham stepped out of the back part of his house and was standing near the door, when three shots were fired. Latham was picked up by his friends and died in ten minutes without speaking. Two chambers of his pistol were empty, but he could not have committed suicide as he was shot in the back. Suspicion points strongly to a man who lives in the country near Dunmore, and who, late in the night, sent to Dunmore for a physician, saying one of his children was sick. The physician had not returned when our informant left. It is supposed the murderer was him; it is wounded, and wanted the doctor for himself. A woman is said to be the cause of the trouble.

Tom Woods, who was shot here by Rork, early Friday evening, died the same night at 3 o'clock. Rork is still at large.

A portion of the Montana Insane Asylum at Warm Springs, Deer Lodge Co., was destroyed by fire. Three of the inmates perished in the flames.

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Our Cloaks were made to order and we show the greatest variety in the city at the lowest prices. Our Hats and Caps are the latest styles. Our Boots and Shoes defy competition.

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